

OUR WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

John Piles, who was well known to nearly all the residents of Wayne county, died very suddenly at his home near Centerville last Saturday morning about 9 o'clock. Mr. Piles arose early that morning and seemed to be in the best of health. After doing chores about the house he went to the barn to look after the stock. His continued absence caused the family to begin an investigation. Upon entering an outbuilding the prostrate form of Mr. Piles was found, he having succumbed to heart failure a few hours previous to his discovery.

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I will fill my annual appointment at the home of John T. Osborn on Wolf Creek, Wayne county, on Sunday, June 2nd, 1907, at 11 a. m. J.D. Garrett.

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The corner stone of the Macedonia Baptist church on Prices creek, will be laid on Saturday, June 8th, under the auspices of the Knights of the Golden Eagle. The lodges of this order from Centerville, Lavalette, and Buffalo will attend and participate in the ceremonies. There will also be religious services of a high order and song service that will please the most fastidious. Dinner will be served on the grounds and this means something, too. In that section of the country where the farmers enjoy the best of living and are more than anxious to supply their guests with the best they have. Everybody is invited and is assured of a warm welcome.

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The Odd Fellows of Wayne lodge celebrated the anniversary of the organization of the order. The lodge, with their guests, the visiting Odd Fellows, attended the Methodist church in a body and listened to an excellent sermon from Rev. E. B. Odell, who is a member of the fraternity. Odd Fellows from Huntington, Central City, Ceredo, and perhaps other towns were there to participate in the ceremonies.

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The wife of Millard Sansom died at her home on Newcomb Creek Monday and was buried in the family burying ground on Beech Fork.

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These are the jurors from Butler District for this term of the Wayne Court: Grand jury: John Wilson, J. H. Riggs, and Stonewall Jackson. Petit jury: John McComas, M. K. Perry, D. H. Johnson, D. H. Merdith, Ed Merdith, Sr., Joe Huff, R. H. Parks, Bascom Thompson, James Cyrus, Tolbert Smith, Wesley Bellomy, and Lindsey Artripp.

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Miss Gertrude Herald and John Chaffin, of Logan, W. Va., were married in Catletsburg at the Hotel Florence by Rev. Z. Meek. After the ceremony the happy couple departed for Logan where they will soon go to housekeeping.

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It is reported on good authority that the old line of the N. and W. from Naugatuck to Kenova has been bought by the Deepwater people, and that the N. and W. will begin at once the work of double tracking the new line down the Big Sandy. This will be a great thing for the development of our section, and will put the new railroad giant nearly at our door. The possibilities arising from this move, if true, are almost unbounded.

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Wednesday afternoon as a freight train was passing Delorme, a negro brakeman on the train, named Walter Penn, drew a pistol and deliberately fired into a crowd of Italians, who were working on the road bed, and who had gotten off the track to let the train pass. One of the men, name unknown, fell, instantly killed. An attempt was made to arrest the negro at Matewan, but he jumped to a freight ahead, and came on down to Williamson, getting off at the yards. The officers are on the trail.

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Who may go on This Trip.

Every respectable lady in Lawrence county and part of Wayne is eligible to be our guests on this joyous outing, be she married or single. In order that there may be a fair chance for every part of the territory to be represented we have decided to divide it into districts as follows:

How the Selections Will be Made.

The ladies who will go on THE NEWS' free trip are to be chosen by the people. Everybody can vote—old patrons or new ones, rich or poor, young or old. Every dollar paid to THE NEWS on subscription, job printing or new advertising will entitle the payor to cast 100 votes. No payment of less than \$1.00 will be entitled to any votes.

Payments on old subscription at Upper Blaine, Sweetnam, Blaine, Georgia. As a special recognition of

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One Lady from District B:

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One Lady from District C:

Embracing Voting Precincts, viz: Upper Blaine, Sweetnam, Georges Creek, Dobbins, Peach Orchard and Rockcastle.

The party elected from each district must live or be employed within its limits. That is the only requirement—and that is done for their own protection. Any person any where may vote for any candidate in any part of the county. Candidates may solicit votes anywhere they please. The votes can be mailed to the Contest Editor of THE NEWS, or may be delivered in person at THE NEWS office. The voter may deposit his or her own ballot if preferred.

votes; four years, 550 votes; five years, 700 votes; six years, 800 votes; seven years, 1,100 votes; eight years, 1,200 votes; nine years, 1,500 votes; ten years, 2,000 votes. (No clubbing rates or agent's commission allowed when votes are taken.) Payments on arrearages or old accounts, 100 votes for each dollar.

No person connected with the News will be allowed to take part, solicit votes or cast a ballot under any circumstances. The NEWS pledges its honor that the contest shall be fair and equal to all candidates. No favoritism will be shown, no assistance or suggestions will be given to one that are not given to all. It must and will be a square deal.

The Contest will Close August 14th, 1907.

NOW, PLEASE KEEP IN MIND:

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That a vote cast for a lady nominates her as a candidate in her district—nothing else to do.

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